

Friends of Emneth Academy



September Newsletter

Firstly, we'd like to welcome all the new parents of the reception children who started and hope they have all settled in well.

For those parents and carers who are not aware, the Friends of Emneth Academy has been running now for just over 2 years. We fundraised throughout the year in order to assist Emneth Academy in providing the "little extras" for all the children and to support the Enrichment Programme. Last year we held various competitions and social events, both within school and the wider community which, helps promote good relations between staff, parents, our children and the community.

We have had another fabulous year and raised over £8,000.

We ended the year with our annual Community Family Bingo Night on the last day of term, again raising an amazing amount. Thank you to all those who supported this event, those who donated prizes and our volunteers.



THANK YOU



Upcoming Dates

SEPT

30th Sept
FOSA Meeting
7pm Emneth Central Hall -
Committee Room

OCT

21st Oct
FOSA Meeting
7pm Emneth Central Hall -
Committee Room

NOV

4th Nov
School Disco
KS1 4:30pm - 5:30pm
KS2 5.45pm - 6.45pm

5th Nov
FOSA Competition Deadline
Details at the end of this Newsletter

22nd Nov
Non-Uniform Day
Donation to Christmas Fayre or £1

25th Nov
FOSA Meeting
7pm Emneth Central Hall -
Committee Room

DEC

5th Dec
Christmas Fayre
3.15pm School Hall
Please enter through the Main Office

FOSA FunDay and Disco

Everyone had a fabulous day for our FOSA FunDay which was fully funded by FOSA. Children enjoyed face paints, glitter tattoos, party games and a visit from the ice cream man. We ended off the day with our end of school disco.



Forest Schools Path

Well done to everyone involved in the path laying over the summer.

We have been told the children and staff absolutely love it and it was nice to see all the children's rock art work from the Kings Coronation laid within it.



Whole School Beach Trip

We were so pleased to be able to fully fund the whole school beach trip. We would like to say a huge thank you for everyone's donations throughout the year to enable this to happen.



Soft Play Starters

A big welcome to our new reception class intake. We loved seeing so many of you at our Soft Play Starters and hope you enjoyed it too.

We hope to see you all at lots of our up-and-coming events.



ASDA CASHPOT

An email was sent regarding the Asda Cash Pot funding for schools.

This runs until 30th November. We would love if you could add Emneth Academy to your chosen school via the Asda Rewards App

Lets try and raise as much money as we can before the deadline!

When you shop we raise



So far we have raised

Shop with Asda?

Raise £1 plus 0.5% of every shop for the school FREE!

Easy as 1, 2, 3...

- 1 Open your Asda rewards app
- 2 Tap 'Cashpot for Schools'
- 3 Search for and select Emneth Academy



HOW COULD YOU HELP?



If you are a business owner and are able to donate a raffle prize to our worthy cause or you know someone who would be willing to support us, then please could you drop us a line at friendsofemnethacademy@outlook.com. We would promote your business in return for your support.



Support our events, come along when you can.



If you can offer any time to help at FOSA events or would like to come along to a monthly meeting then your help would be very much appreciated. We welcome your ideas and feedback!



Donate your outgrown uniform to be sold at our PreLoved Uniform Sale



We are always grateful for any unwanted good quality items we can use for Raffle and Tombola prizes. These can be handed to one of our FOSA team or handed to reception for us to collect.

EASY FUNDRAISING

Thank you to those who signed up for Easy Fundraising during our launch week. We had 84 new sign ups, giving us an extra £84 to put towards renewing the school library.

You can still support us by signing up and following the link when you buy your shopping. It costs you NOTHING but raises us money.



Follow the QR Code

COMPETITIONS

FOSA hold a Competition EVERY TERM.

Competitions are open to every child at Emneth Academy and are completely **FREE** to enter

Our wonderful teachers choose the winners for us and the winning children are announced in Assembly. They receive a certificate and can choose a prize from our Winners Table.



Spooky Spoon Competition



Children are invited to decorate a spoon over the October half term to be entered into our "FOSA Spooky Spoon Competition". The one winner will be chosen from each class to pick a prize from the FOSA Winners Table in Assembly.

Deadline: Tuesday 5th November

Please upload your entries to Dolo

Our Next Competition is...

COULD YOU JOIN FOSA?

We are always looking for new volunteers to help us to support the school and make the children's time at Emneth Academy as fun and enriching as possible! We are a friendly bunch who meet at on the last Monday of every month, to discuss events and ideas. If you feel you have any time to help, please come along - Our next meeting is

Monday 30th September 2024 7pm
Emneth Central Hall
Committee Room



CONTACT US

To contact FOSA please see the information below



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